

IT'S HAPPENING AT STATE

September 18, 2002
NDSU

Campus remembers Sept. 11 victims

Wednesday, Sept. 11, was a day of solemn reflection and remembrance for the NDSU campus. "Walking Away with Hope" was the theme as student-organized events observed the one-year anniversary of the terror attacks.

In the Memorial Union's Alumni Lounge, a display listed the names of the more than 3,000 victims killed when four hijacked planes crashed into the World Trade Center, the Pentagon and at Shanksville, Pa.

A large screen television carried CNN's coverage of ceremonies across the nation, while students stopped to make yellow memorial ribbons and origami peace cranes, write notes about their memories and hopes, give donations to the American Red Cross or sign up with United Blood Services to be a blood donor.

"We needed to do something in remembrance and the students really wanted something to happen," said Kara E. Stack, assistant director for campus programs. "There are mixed feelings among students. Some have a sense of closure, and others are still wondering, not knowing what will happen next. As students watched the news coverage, they seemed very somber. I don't think the emotions are gone yet."

Anastasia Herkowski, a sophomore from Port Washington, Wis., helped people fold paper peace cranes as a way of dealing with the emotions of the anniversary.

"People were really nice, but it's definitely a day of closure and sadness," said Herkowski, who is vice president of the Residence Hall Association. "I'm trying to move on, just like everyone else."

Jennifer Krueger, Residence Life assistant director of leadership and community development, said, "Students who came to the table seemed to be thinking that there has to be something positive, that we're moving on and we're still a strong country."

"When I was working with students planning for this, they said they didn't want to focus on the darkness and sadness, but on light and hope," Krueger said. "We are going to persevere."

That theme was repeated many times in the messages that visitors wrote to describe their thoughts about the day of the attacks and the year that has followed.

"I will never be able to forget where I was—in a huge lecture hall, sharing the moment with 250 strangers," wrote a student.

One message said, "The world will be peaceful again," while another stated, "I plan to forgive, reflect and grow."

Yet another person wrote, "Today and everyday, we need to cherish our good fortunes and be thankful for the gift of life."

In addition, people were encouraged to pause for a moment of silence when the campus chimes sounded at 9:11 a.m. and 9:11 p.m. in memory of the victims.

President Chapman to deliver State of the University Address

President Joseph A. Chapman will deliver his fourth State of the University Address at 12:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 17, in Festival Concert Hall. All faculty, staff, students, alumni and friends of the university are invited. A reception will follow in the Reineke Fine Arts Center lobby.

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University Senate holds first meeting

The University Senate, which held its first meeting of the academic year Sept. 9, has set its meeting schedule for 2002-03.

The group is scheduled to meet Oct. 14, Nov. 18, Dec. 9, Jan. 27, Feb. 10, March 10, April 14 and May 12. All meetings are set to begin at 3:30 p.m. in the Memorial Union, room 338.

During the initial meeting, presiding officer David Rider, associate professor of entomology, challenged the University Senate to be aware of issues and talk with constituents about important topics.

"I see my role as facilitating your ideas," Rider told the senators. "This is where a lot gets done, and the important thing is you people out there. This body is definitely a shared governance sort of body—we've got representation from administrators, faculty, staff and students with diverse ideas."

Thomas Ambrosio, assistant professor of political science, was elected parliamentarian.

Safety and security bulletin available

The NDSU police department would like to remind students, faculty and staff of safety and security issues on campus.

The Safety and Security Bulletin includes statistics for the previous three years concerning reported crimes that occurred on campus; in certain off-campus building or property owned or controlled by NDSU; and on public property within, or immediately adjacent to and accessible from, the campus.

Sexual offender information and Web site links have been added to the annual security report. The report also includes institutional policies concerning campus security, such as policies concerning alcohol and drug use, crime prevention, the reporting of crimes, sexual assault and other matters.

A full copy of the report is available online at www.ndsu.edu. Click on the link to campus police. For more information, contact NDSU Police Chief Tim Lee at 1-7835 or Timothy.Lee@ndsu.nodak.edu.

NCI grain procurement course sets record enrollment



Short course participants

Forty-one participants representing 22 countries participated in Northern Crops Institute's grain procurement course. The two-week course concludes this week.

Designed for individuals responsible for purchasing U.S. grain, the course covers all

aspects of grain procurement management including the U.S. grain handling system and effective methods to purchase northern-grown crops. Professionals from national food buying agencies, flour mills, grain trading companies, pasta manufacturers and food distributors on five continents were represented.

The group also was scheduled to visit Duluth, Minn., to learn about port operations and tour a multi-national grain terminal. Participants were scheduled to spend several days at the Minneapolis Grain Exchange with traders on the trading floor.

Upcoming NCI courses include Barley Malt Quality Evaluation, Nov. 5-8; Pasta and Noodles: Raw Materials and Processing, April 9-11; Advanced Procurement Strategies, April 28-May 2; and Grain Procurement Management for Importers, Sept. 15-26, 2003.

Northern Crops Institute supports regional agriculture and value-added processing by conducting educational and technical programs that expand and maintain domestic and international markets for northern-grown crops. For more information, contact Sally Sologuk, public relations specialist, at 1-6538 or visit www.northern-crops.com.

People

Burton named NCAA faculty representative



Burton

President Joseph A. Chapman has appointed Velmer Burton, dean of the Graduate School and professor of sociology, as the NCAA faculty representative for Bison Athletics. Burton succeeds Kevin McCaul, professor of psychology.

"Dr. Burton will play a significant role as the NDSU athletics department prepares for its upcoming reclassification to NCAA Division I," Chapman said. "He is a quality person who is committed to NDSU's future. He will be a fine faculty representative."

Burton, who was a football defensive back during his collegiate days at the University of Cincinnati, said he is looking forward to the challenges and responsibilities of the position.

"I'm very much interested in intercollegiate athletics," Burton said. "At this important time when NDSU is making the move to Division I, being on the ground floor and working with the athletic administration, the campus and the student athletes is an honor. I'm grateful to be chosen."

The position's duties include involvement in the enforcement and appeals process, athletics certification, oversight of the athletics program, advising the president, oversight of student athletes' personal welfare and institutional compliance with NCAA and conference regulations.

"Dr. Burton brings experience as a Division I athlete, and his familiarity with some other Division I schools will help us through the transitional process," said Gene Taylor, director of intercollegiate athletics. "During his time as faculty representative, Dr. McCaul was really creative and challenged us to think about different areas and not necessarily go with the status quo on issues about athletics in general and our specific rules or regulations. Dr. Burton will bring the same sort of new ideas and enthusiasm."

Burton, who joined NDSU during the summer of 2000, earned his bachelor's degree, his master's degree in criminal justice and his doctorate in sociology at the University of Cincinnati.

Business administration adds new faculty

Karl Altenburg has been appointed assistant professor teaching management information systems courses. His research includes investigations of the emergence of order in decentralized

systems, involving collective robotics, animals, neural networks and agent-based computer simulations. The 2001 EPSCoR Faculty Laboratory and Research Experience (FLARE) award winner, Altenburg is a member of the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers Computer Society, American Association for the Advancement of Science and the North Dakota State Academy of Science.

Joseph Szmerekovsky has been appointed assistant professor teaching foundations of management and operations management. His research interests include project management and scheduling, complex systems and flexible manufacturing, and the use of linear and nonlinear dynamic and integer programming and network flows.

Szmerekovsky earned a doctorate in operations from Case Western Reserve University's Weatherhead School of Management, Cleveland. He is a member of the Institute for Operations Research and Management Science (INFORMS), Golden Key National Honor Society and Phi Beta Kappa National Honor Society.

Rao selected Institute of Mathematical Statistics fellow

M.B. Rao, professor of statistics, was named a fellow of the Institute of Mathematical Statistics at its annual meeting held in August in Banff, Alberta, Canada.

Rao was selected for his contributions to probability theory in abstract spaces, research on bilinear time series models, survival analysis and multivariate dependence, and creative and effective teaching at all levels.

The Institute of Mathematical Statistics is the world's premier organization for mathematical statisticians. Its membership is comprised of faculty from academic research establishments. The designation of fellow is made based on members' research accomplishments.

For more information, contact Rao at mb.rao@ndsu.nodak.edu.

Nichols article published

"Responding in Kind: Down in the Body in the Undergraduate Poetry Course (Thoughts on Bakhtin, Hypertext, and Cheap Wigs)," an article by Cindy Nichols, lecturer in English, has been published in *Enculturation* 4:1, a refereed journal devoted to contemporary theorizations of rhetoric, writing and culture.

The issue focuses on the future of electronic publishing, and involves the joint efforts of several publications.

The article addresses the problem of teaching poetry in a time when it may be viewed as marginalized, and discusses the use of new media to help students both write and read poetry dialogically. The article itself uses new media including animated side notes, audio, graphics and Web links, as well as mixed voices and genres, to enact the kind of hybrid writing encouraged in the article.

The article is available at <http://enculturation.gmu.edu/index.html>.

Bina records 200th win at NDSU



Bina

Volleyball head coach Zaundra Bina reached her 200th victory at her alma mater when the No. 14-ranked Bison defeated the University of Alabama-Huntsville Sept. 7.

With the win, Bina's record stood at 200-49 at NDSU. She has guided the Bison to seven straight NCAA playoff appearances, three North Central Conference titles and a pair of trips to the NCAA Elite Eight. Bina's overall record is 334-103, including five years at Augustana College. A native of Pelican Rapids, Minn., Bina played for the Bison from 1982-85.

Business administration faculty awards

The College of Business Administration announced the recipients of its 2001-02 faculty awards at the college's annual faculty retreat held Aug. 22.

Krishnan Ramaya, assistant professor of management, was named Teacher of the Year, an award that recognizes outstanding and innovative teaching. Ramaya teaches strategic management and conducts research in sustainable competitive advantage, evolution of business clusters and strategies of multinational firms, strategic alliances and entrepreneurship.

Joseph M. Jones, associate professor of marketing, is the recipient of the Service Award recognizing outstanding contributions made by faculty to the college, university and community. Jones teaches strategic marketing and marketing management, and conducts research in e-commerce. He is one of six principal investigators for an e-commerce graduate program made possible by a two-year, \$175,000 grant from the U.S. Department of Education's Fund for Improvement of Post Secondary Education (FIPSE) program.

Drew Martin, assistant professor of marketing, was named Researcher of the Year. The award recognizes contributions made by faculty to their particular discipline. Martin teaches advertising, promotion and international marketing, and conducts research in overseas business assistance programs, cross-cultural communications, marketing to Japan and customer perceptions of service in global markets.

Recipients are selected from nominations received from students, faculty and staff and are recognized at the college's annual honors and awards banquet held in the spring. In addition, each receives a cash award.

Kapplinger exhibit shown in Minot

"Eclectic Vision: Collaborative Prints and Drawings," an exhibit by Kent Kapplinger, assistant professor of art, is on display at the Taube Museum of Art, Minot, N.D., through Sept. 30. Kapplinger also is director of the Printmaking Education and Research Studio (PEARS) program.

The exhibit documents Kapplinger's collaborations with a diverse group of people. "As an artist, instructor and printer I collaborate with numerous people on a daily basis," Kapplinger said. "My desire to involve others in the creative process is based on a desire to communicate and play."

Museum hours are noon-5 p.m. Tuesday-Friday, noon-3 p.m. Saturday or by appointment.

Events

Technology conference planned

The fourth annual Upper Great Plains Technology Conference and Trade Show is scheduled for Oct. 14-15, in the Fargodome. The event is sponsored by Sen. Byron Dorgan and the Chamber of Commerce of Fargo Moorhead.

The conference will feature innovative technologies and their impact on our daily lives. The event will include four keynote speakers, a two-day trade show and workshops on technologies affecting business, medicine, community and home. The expo also will include a section where area students will demonstrate their research.

College students with a valid student ID can attend the event at no cost. Free student admission does not include meals offered to paid attendees during some keynote sessions.

In a letter to faculty and staff, Dorgan said he moved the event from the spring to the fall to make it easier for college and high school students to attend. "I believe the event will be a good learning experience for college students, particularly those majoring in business, engineering, or computer science," he wrote. "Students can attend both days of the event or choose the presentations that most interests them."

For more information, contact Dorgan's office at (202) 224-0237 or senator@dorgan.senate.gov or visit the conference Web site at www.uppergreatplains technology.com.

Family Weekend scheduled

Family Weekend at NDSU is scheduled for Sept. 27-28. Family Weekend is a chance for families of current students to visit campus and spend time with their son or daughter while experiencing art, academics and athletics at NDSU.

More than 500 family members typically participate in the annual event. Families can attend such activities as the president's breakfast, pre-game barbecue and football game. Additional events also are planned.

For a detailed schedule, call Orientation and Student Success at 1-8379.

Brown bag seminar on healthy eating scheduled

"Women, Listen to Your Stomach," a brown bag seminar addressing healthy eating patterns, is scheduled for noon Wednesday, Sept. 25, in the Memorial Union University Chambers.

Abby Gold, communication doctoral student and former lecturer in health, nutrition and exercise sciences, will present ways to listen and tune-in to hunger and satiation cues. Gold has been a dietitian for 20 years, specializing in the promotion of healthy eating patterns and prevention of chronic disease.

The talk is co-sponsored by the YMCA of NDSU, the Wellness Center and Women's Studies. For more information, contact Sue Andrews at 1-5225 or susan.andrews@ndsu.nodak.edu.

Lively Arts Series season announced

The Lively Arts Series has scheduled five performances for the 2002-03 season. All performances are scheduled to take place in Festival Concert Hall.

Folk guitarist Garnet Rogers and Grammy nominee Greg Brown share the stage for a night of musical performance at 7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27. Combining influences of gospel, blues, country and jazz, the two artists promise an unforgettable performance. Audience members are encouraged to bring non-perishable food and/or personal care items such as shampoo or soap to the concert as donations to the Great Plains Food Bank.

Randy Sabien and Brian Q. Torff are scheduled to present "A Tribute to Stephane Grappelli" at 7 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 6. Fiddler Sabien has performed in jazz clubs and concert halls for more than two decades. Joining Sabien is bass virtuoso Torff in a two-hour program of acoustic club-style jazz.

Sitar player Kartik Seshadri is scheduled to perform at 7 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22. A student of Pandit Ravi Shankar, Seshadri recently played for the Olympic Games.

The Zorongo Flamenco Dane Theatre will present both traditional flamenco programs as well as flamenco ballets at 7 p.m. Saturday, April 5. The American Spanish dance company holds a unique position in the national dance scene infusing traditional dance forms with contemporary ideas and live music.

2001 Grammy award winners for best traditional soul gospel album, The Blind Boys of Alabama are scheduled for 7 p.m. Saturday, April 26. Situating gospel and rock-era songs in a drawling blues atmosphere, the group is described as "capturing the feeling not just of the revival tent, but of the dark, human swampland lurking just beyond it."

Season tickets are available through Friday, Sept. 27. Season ticket prices are \$52 for adults, \$40 for seniors and NDSU employees, \$24 for non-NDSU students and children, and \$20 for NDSU students. Single ticket prices are \$13 for adults, \$10 for seniors and NDSU employees, \$7 for non-NDSU students and children and \$6 for NDSU students. Tickets are available at the Memorial Union Ticket Office.

Conference on technology in teaching and learning scheduled

"Beyond Boundaries," a regional conference on integrating technology into teaching and learning, is scheduled for Sept. 19-20 in the University of North Dakota Memorial Union, Grand Forks.

The conference is set to highlight regional faculty and administrators' experience and success with technology in various learning environments. The scheduled keynote speakers are William Horton, president of William Horton Consulting for e-learning, and Darcy Hardy, vice chancellor of the University of Texas Tele-Campus.

Oral and poster presentations, online course showcases and vendor exhibits also are scheduled.

Conference information is available online at www.conted.und.edu/elearning or by calling (800) 342-8230.

Pharmacy and nursing career fair scheduled

The College of Pharmacy has scheduled a pharmacy and nursing career fair for 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 26, at the Fargodome. The college's scholarship recognition program is scheduled for 3-5 p.m. The career fair is open to the public.

Health care employers representing all areas of professional practice in pharmacy and nursing will be in available to provide information on various career opportunities. Area high school juniors and seniors who are considering a health-related career and their parents are encouraged to attend.

"Our career fair provides a wonderful opportunity for our students to see all that's available for them for careers in pharmacy and nursing in one convenient location," said Charles Peterson, dean of pharmacy. "We want our students to be thinking about their career options early on in their academic endeavors and involve their parents in the career seeking and decision making process."

Free parking is available at the Fargodome. For more information, contact Cynthia Hanson at 1-6461 or Cynthia.Hanson@ndsu.nodak.edu.

Regional studies lecture scheduled

Author Larry Watson is scheduled to present this year's regional studies lecture, "Growing up in Dakota: A Writer's Divided Heart," at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 3, in Walsh Studio Theater.

The lecture will touch on some of the region's characteristics including reticence, practicality and conformity, and what they mean to aspiring artists.

Watson, whose novels include "In A Dark Time, Montana 1948," "White Crosses" and "Laura," the fiction collection "Justice" and the chapbook of poetry "Leaving Dakota," has taught writing and literature at the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point since 1978. He has received numerous press awards and was nominated for an international literary prize. Two of his novels have been optioned for film.

Video-links will be available in Wahpeton, N.D.; Watford City, N.D.; and Hettinger, N.D., as part of NDSU's mission to enrich North Dakota's cultural life.

For more information, contact Kevin Brooks, assistant professor of English, at 1-7146, or visit www.ndsu.nodak.edu/RSL/.

Engineering and architecture Family Weekend events scheduled

Open house tours, demonstrations and a family picnic are among the events scheduled for Family Weekend in the College of Engineering and Architecture.

Classroom and laboratory tours and demonstrations are scheduled for 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 28. The tours are open to the public and no pre-registration is required.

A picnic for engineering and architecture students and their parents is scheduled for noon.

For more information, contact Jackie Cox, director of advancement and communication, at 1-8342 or jackie.cox@ndsu.nodak.edu.

'Disability Awareness Month' events scheduled

Several events are scheduled for the NDSU campus during October for Disability Awareness Month in conjunction with "National Disability Employment Awareness Month."

Scheduled speakers include wheelchair racer Judy Siegle who will present a brown bag seminar, "Living Without Limits," Wednesday, Oct. 2, and John Thompson, who will give an evening speech on Tuesday, Oct. 8. In addition, the Little Country Theatre will present "The Glass Menagerie" Oct. 25-27 and Oct. 31-Nov. 2. Discussion panels also are planned to be held in conjunction with the performances.

"We want people to be aware of the abilities and possibilities for people with disabilities," said Cathy Anderson, disability services coordinator. "Many times people are aware only of the limitations that disabilities impose on people. In reality, new technologies and the efforts of individual people with disabilities are shattering those old, more limited notions. We hope that people will take in the events of Disability Awareness Month and learn more about the strengths that people with disabilities bring to our community."

Siegle, who will speak at noon Oct. 2, in the Prairie Rose Room, Memorial Union, is a social worker at MeritCare Rehabilitation Services. In 1979, she suffered a broken neck in a car accident, but refused to set limits for herself. A wheelchair racer, she is a two-time Paralympian, holds several national records and was named 2000 Female Athlete of the Year for Wheelchair Sports Track and Field USA.

Thompson was 18 years old when he lost both of his arms in a 1992 accident on his family's farm near Hurdsfield, N.D. His story of survival and having his arms reattached by trauma surgeons made national and international headlines. He later wrote a book, "Home in One Piece," with Paula Crain Grosinger that recently was released in a second edition. He will speak at 7:30 p.m. Oct. 8, in Century Theater. A reception, open to everyone, will follow in the Butte Lounge.

The Little Country Theatre presentation of "The Glass Menagerie" by Tennessee Williams tells the story of Tom Wingfield's life in his tenement home in St. Louis. Recalling his monotonous warehouse job, his meddling mother and his disabled sister, the character describes the manner in which each of them escapes from their dreary lives through fantasy.

The national awareness month is designated by Congress. Various programs held across the country during the month highlight and identify specific employment barriers for persons with disabilities.

Congress enacted a law in 1945 declaring the first week in October as "National Employ the Physically Handicapped Week." In 1962, the word "physically" was removed to acknowledge the contributions and employment needs of individuals with all types of disabilities. In 1988, Congress expanded the awareness effort to a month and changed the name to "National Disability Employment Awareness Month."

Swenson to give Korean study exchange lecture, slide presentation



Swenson

David Swenson, assistant professor of art, is scheduled to present a lecture and slides on his recent group study exchange experience in Korea at 4 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 24, in Beckwith Recital Hall.

Swenson traveled with a six-person team from the area to learn about Korean culture and develop cultural awareness in Fargo-Moorhead.

The group visited several businesses, temples, potteries, orphanages, burial sites and the national gallery.

Swenson has been at NDSU since 1994. His work has appeared in galleries across Minnesota.

Engineering and Tech Expo scheduled

The NDSU Career Center will sponsor the fourth annual Engineering and Tech Expo, scheduled for 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27, at the Bison Sports Arena.

The expo offers an opportunity for employers to connect with engineering and technology students in a casual business environment, and build relationships with students searching for Cooperative Education assignments and full-time employment. An estimated 75-80 companies are anticipated to register for the event, and about 1,500 students are expected to participate.

Last year's expo attracted more than 1,200 students in engineering, architecture, Management Information Systems and computer science. Of the 205 people representing 94 companies at the 2001 event, 99 were NDSU alumni.

Students from the Management of People Systems class taught by Jonathan Tolstedt are assisting the Career Center in the planning and organization of this year's event.

Participating students should bring current resumes. For more information, call 1-8468 or visit www.ndsu.edu/career_center.

ITS to sponsor parallel programming workshop

NDSU Information Technology Services will sponsor local participation in a four-day workshop, "Parallel Programming with MPI," scheduled for 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Oct. 3, 10, 17 and 24, in IACC 422.

The workshop is designed to provide participants methods of writing and executing parallel codes using message-passing interface (MPI) in order to help manage the transfer of data between instances of parallel programs that usually run on multiple processors in a parallel computing architecture.

Sponsored by the Alliance Partners for Advanced Computational Services (PACS), the workshop will be available through NDSU's access grid facilities over the Internet2 network. The instructor is David Ennis, Ohio Supercomputer Center. NDSU is one of more than a dozen sites worldwide planning to participate.

There is no charge for the workshop, however pre-registration by Sept. 30 is requested. More information is available in the registration section of www.ndsu.nodak.edu/accessgrid/mpi.html.

Garrison Diversion exhibit in Memorial Union Gallery

"The Promise of Water: The Garrison Diversion Project," an exhibit of photographs by Wayne Gudmundson accompanied by an essay by Robert Silberman, is scheduled for display through Oct. 11 in the Memorial Union Gallery.



Gudmundson

Gudmundson's photographic history of North Dakota's Garrison Diversion Project is accompanied by Silberman's essay, which traces the project's history from social, political, economic and environmental perspectives.



Silberman

"The Garrison Diversion was undoubtedly the largest and most controversial government project in North Dakota during the second half of the 20th century, and continues to be just as controversial at the beginning of the 21st," Silberman said. "For almost 50 years it has been defined by its critics as a prime example of pork barrel politics—a ridiculous boondoggle. Yet over the same period, it has been promoted by its supporters as a beneficial program necessary to spur growth, maintain or even increase population, and improve the overall welfare of the state."

Silberman is an associate professor of art history, director of film studies and adjunct member of the American Studies Program at the University of Minnesota. He has collaborated on several documentary projects and was a consultant and co-author of the companion volume for the KTCA/PBS series "American Photography: A Century of Images." He also was an adviser for and co-author of the catalogue essay for the Minnesota Historical Society's Minnesota 2000 documentary photograph project.

Gudmundson is a professor of mass communications at Minnesota State University Moorhead. He is the director of the Prairie Documents Photographic Book Series and New Rivers Press, Moorhead. His work is in several permanent collections and his photographs have appeared in several books.

Gallery hours are 9:30 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday-Thursday, and 9:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Friday. A reception and book signing is scheduled for 4 p.m., Friday Sept. 27. For more information, call 1-8239, e-mail rebecca.kilzer@ndsu.nodak.edu or visit www.ndsu.nodak.edu/memorial_union/gallery.

Volunteer Extravaganza scheduled

A Volunteer Extravaganza, sponsored by the NDSU Volunteer Network, is scheduled for 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 25, in the Memorial Union Alumni Lounge.

Twenty-five community service agencies from the Fargo-Moorhead area will promote volunteer opportunities within their organizations. Faculty who offer a service or service-learning option in their classes are encouraged to announce this event to their classes.

For more information regarding the Volunteer Extravaganza or other service-learning resources provided by the Volunteer Network, contact Kara Stack, assistant director for campus programs, at 1-8566 or Kara.Stack@ndsu.nodak.edu.

Shorts and Reminders

Meningitis immunization clinic for students scheduled

A meningitis immunization clinic for students is scheduled for 1-7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 19, in the Memorial Union Ballroom. The cost is \$75 and no appointment is necessary. Students unable to attend the clinic may receive the vaccination at any time by making an appointment at the student health center. The immunizations are not available to faculty or staff.

Union Food Court specials for Sept. 18-25

Soup of the day

Wednesday: minestrone and baked potato

Thursday: vegetable beef and tomato

Friday: chicken dumpling and navy bean

Monday: chili beef and wild rice

Tuesday: chicken noodle and beer cheese

Wednesday: knoepfla and vegetarian vegetable

The Corner Deli

Wednesday: All-American wrap

Thursday: pastrami

Friday: roast beef

Monday: chicken

Tuesday: turkey

Wednesday: roast beef

A La Carte

Wednesday: chicken lasagna

Thursday: hand-carved turkey

Friday: beef stroganoff

Monday: meat lasagna

Tuesday: hot roast beef sandwich

Wednesday: pepper steak

Pizza Express

Wednesday: creamy garlic chicken

Thursday: Tuscany

Friday: once around the kitchen

Monday: Hawaiian

Tuesday: farmhouse

Wednesday: meatball

The Union Grab and Go

Wednesday: meatball sandwich

Thursday: roast beef

Friday: macaroni and cheese

Monday: broasted chicken

Tuesday: meat lasagna

Wednesday: meat loaf and gravy

Items are subject to change without notice. Call the Dining Services Lunch Line at 1-9501 to check out all of our daily specials. Questions or comments may be dropped in the suggestion boxes located in each dining center and the Union Food Court or call Kristina at the Union Buffet at 1-8122.

Positions Available

Positions open and screening dates through the Office of Human Resources, Room 205, Old Main:

Administrative Secretary/#431

School of Education

\$21,000+/year

Sept. 18

Custodian/#762

3:30 p.m.-midnight, M-F, requires some weekends and overtime

Physical Plant-Bison Sports Arena

\$16,332+/year

Sept. 18

Food Service Worker/#1032

10 months; 40 hours/week

6 a.m.-2:30 p.m., M-F, weekends as necessary

Dining Services-Residence Dining Center

\$7.65/hour

Sept. 24

Account Specialist/Bookkeeper/#777

Memorial Union

\$24,000+/year

Sept. 20-noon (internal); Sept. 25 (external)

Administrative Technician/#5441

Center for Nanoscale Science and Engineering

\$24,000+/year

Sept. 20 (internal only)

Position openings also are available through the NDSU Web site at www.ndsu.edu/jobs.

Calendar

September

Through Oct. 11 "The Garrison Diversion" exhibit by Wayne Gudmundson and Robert Silberman, Memorial Union Gallery. Reception 4-6 p.m. Friday, Sept. 27.

18 Physics—Chengli Huang, "How Can We See Through Earth's Interior?" 4 p.m., South Engineering 208

19 College of Agriculture, Food Systems and Natural Resources—Fall Round-Up, 5:30 p.m., Bison Sports Arena

19 Campus Attractions—Singer-songwriter Bari Koral, 7 p.m., Memorial Union Cul-de-Sac lounge. Free.

20 Animal and range sciences—Gerald Combs, USDA/ARS Human Nutrition Center, Grand Forks, "Role of Selenium in Cancer Prevention," 3 p.m., Hultz 104

20 Plant sciences—Ken Deibert, graduate seminar, "Leafy Spurge Control with Diflufenzopyr," 3:30 p.m., Loftsgard 114

20 Psychology—Amy Wenzel, University of North Dakota, "Biased Cognition in Socially Anxious Individuals: What Are the Consequences?" 3:30 p.m., Minard 209

21-29 Studio/scholarship recipient exhibition, 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Reineke Visual Arts Gallery. Reception 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 21.

24 Korean study exchange lecture and slide presentation by David Swenson, assistant professor of art, 4 p.m., Beckwith Recital Hall

- 25 Volunteer Network—Volunteer Extravaganza, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., Memorial Union Alumni Lounge
- 25 YMCA of NDSU—Brown bag seminar, ‘Women, Listen to Your Stomach,’ noon, Memorial Union University Chambers
- 26 Pharmacy—pharmacy and nursing career fair, 10 a.m.-3 p.m., Fargodome
- 27-28 Orientation and Student Success Family Weekend
- 27 Psychology—Shigehiro Oishi, University of Minnesota, “Culture and Subjective Well-Being,” 3:30 p.m., Minard 209
- 27 Lively Concert Series presents Greg Brown with Garnet Rogers, 7 p.m., Festival Concert Hall. Tickets available at the Memorial Union Ticket Office
- 27 Volleyball vs. South Dakota State, 7 p.m., Bentson Bunker Fieldhouse
- 28 Football vs. Augustana, 7 p.m., Fargodome
- 28 Volleyball vs. Minnesota State University, Mankato, 4 p.m., Bentson Bunker Fieldhouse

October

- 1-30 Alumni exhibition, Reineke Visual Arts Gallery. Reception 7 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 19.
- 2 YMCA of NDSU—Brown bag seminar, “Living Without Limits,” noon, Memorial Union Prairie Rose Room
- 3 Faculty recital—Robert Jones, baritone, 7:30 p.m., Beckwith Recital Hall

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- 3 Regional Studies lecture—“Growing Up in Dakota: A Writer’s Divided Heart,” by author Larry Watson, 7:30 p.m., Walsh Studio Theater
- 4 Psychology—Kevin D. McCaul, professor of psychology, “Motivating Smokers to Quit: Vulnerability and Worry,” 3:30 p.m., Minard 209
- 4 Volleyball vs. Northern State, 7 p.m., Bentson Bunker Fieldhouse
- 4, 5 Fine arts presents The Smuin Ballet, 7:30 p.m. Friday and 2 p.m. Saturday, Festival Concert Hall. Tickets are \$28 for adults, \$22 for seniors and \$15 for students, and are available by calling the Division of Fine Arts box office at 1-9442.
- 6 Soccer vs. Minnesota State University, Mankato, noon, Ellig Sports Complex
- 8 Volleyball vs. Minnesota Duluth, 7 p.m., Bentson Bunker Fieldhouse
- 9 YMCA of NDSU—Brown bag seminar, “College/Work Discrimination,” noon, Memorial Union Peace Garden Room
- 11 Psychology—Wendy Gordon, NDSU, “Cognition and Emotional Disorders Among Adolescents,” 3:30 p.m., Minard 209
- 12 Football vs. UND, 1 p.m., Fargodome
- 13 Soccer vs. UND, noon, Ellig Sports Complex
- 14-Nov. 14 “To Ride and Resist” exhibit by Lorin Humphreys, Memorial Union Gallery. Reception 4-6 p.m. Friday, Oct. 18.
- 14 Fall choral concert, 7:30 p.m., Festival Concert Hall. Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$2 for children, students and seniors.

